Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 14 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 15 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 13 Oct 2020 at 14:39 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for settled conditions through the rest of the week.

Headline for Wednesday 14 Oct 2020: Rather cloudy with the odd shower.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 14 Oct 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	20%	30%	30%	20%	10%	<05%

Forecast for Wednesday 14 Oct 2020

Weather: Extensive low cloud will affect the area through much of the day with the odd spot of rain or a light shower possible. This cloud may break up a little during the afternoon to allow some brighter breaks. Breaking up more widely into the evening to allow some clear spells. Northeasterly winds easing through the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low through most of the day but increasing slightly into the afternoon, high during the evening.

Visibility: Poor on hill tops for much off the day, moderate or good at lower levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	29/39 NE	26/36 NE	26/35 NE	23/30 E	17/24 E	11/16 E	9/13 NE	11/16 NE	12/17 NE
900	24/30 NE	23/29 NE	22/28 NE	17/23 NE	15/21 E	10/15 NE	9/13 NE	10/13 NE	9/13 NE
600	12/18 NE	12/19 NE	12/18 NE	11/17 NE	11/16 NE	8/13 NE	6/11 NE	7/11 NE	6/10 NE
300	5/16 NE	6/16 NE	6/15 NE	6/14 NE	6/14 NE	7/14 NE	6/13 NE	4/9 NE	3/7 NE
Glen	2/14 NE	3/13 NE	3/13 NE	4/13 NE	5/13 NE	4/12 NE	4/10 NE	2/5 NE	2/5 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	0/-8	0/-7	1/-6	1/-5	2/-4	2/-3	0/-4	-1/-6	-2/-7
900	3/-4	3/-3	3/-2	4/-1	4/0	5/1	3/-0	3/-1	1/-2
600	5/1	5/1	5/1	6/2	7/4	7/5	5/3	5/2	4/1
300	6/4	6/4	6/4	7/6	9/8	9/8	7/5	6/4	5/4
Glen	6/4	5/4	6/5	7/6	10/9	10/9	7/6	5/5	4/4
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1400m	1500m	1500m	1400m	1300m	1200m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling cold near summits.

Forecast for Thursday 15 Oct 2020
Weather: Largely dry with sunny spells through the morning, perhaps some low cloud with the chance of spots of light rain possible into the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Northeasterly 15 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: High during the morning becoming moderate into the afternoon with some patchy low cloud filtering in from the north.

Visibility: Generally good, potentially poor at times on hill tops during the afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 rising to plus 9 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: 1000 m

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